



**Texas Division of Emergency Management  
State Situation Report**

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| <b>Event Name</b>         | 20-0003 COVID-19 2020      |
| <b>Date</b>               | August 8, 2020             |
| <b>Time</b>               | 0900                       |
| <b>Operational Period</b> | August 7 to August 8, 2020 |
| <b>Report Number</b>      | 142                        |

| <b>Regions Affected</b> |   |
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| <b>Regions Affected</b> | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6   |
| <b>DDCs Active</b>      | DDC's 1, 2, 3, 4A, 4B, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9A, 9B, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16A, 16B, 16C, 16D, 17, 18A, 18B, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24 & Capitol |

**Current Situation:** The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is currently reporting a total of 474,524 cases of COVID-19 in the State of Texas which includes an estimated 134,760 active cases, 331,668 individuals have recovered from the virus and 8,096 confirmed COVID-19 related fatalities. Across Texas, a total of 4,000,532 COVID-19 molecular tests have been completed.

Visit the [Testing Sites Map](#) online for testing locations near you.

View the Governor's Executive Orders issued:

<https://lrl.texas.gov/legis/leaders/governors/displayDocs.cfm?govdoctypeID=5&governorID=45>

Websites to help Texans during the COVID-19 Pandemic:

The Governor's Report to Open Texas.

<https://open.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/opentexas/OpenTexas-Report.pdf>

Texas Coronavirus (COVID-19) Information Page. <https://www.texas.gov/covid19/>

The Governor's Strike Force to Open Texas and a list of guidelines, openings, and relevant dates. <https://open.texas.gov/>

Texas Health and Human Services Family Violence Program.

<https://hhs.texas.gov/services/safety/family-violence-program>

Texas Health and Human Services Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-EBT) and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).

<https://hhs.texas.gov/services/health/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-covid-19-information-texans/pandemic-ebt-p-ebt-due-covid-19>

Texas Health and Human Services Mental Health and Substance Use Resources.  
<https://hhs.texas.gov/services/mental-health-substance-use/mental-health-substance-use-resources>

One Star Foundation, Texas COVID Relief Fund. <http://onestarfoundation.org/txcovidfund/>

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, Help for Texans.  
<https://www.tdhca.state.tx.us/texans.htm>

Essential Services. <https://tdem.texas.gov/essentialservices/>

Help essential workers in Texas locate child care and support child care centers.  
<https://frontlinechildcare.texas.gov/>

Special WIC Food Updates. <https://texaswic.org/about-wic/special-wic-food-updates>

Comfort Food Care Packages (CFCP). <https://www.txrestaurant.org/news/comfort-food-care-packages-feed-youth-and-families-need-and-stay-open>

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. <https://www.cms.gov/>

Texas Health and Human Services. <https://hhs.texas.gov/>

Texans in need can apply for benefits, including SNAP and Medicaid, at [YourTexasBenefits.com](https://www.yourtexasbenefits.com) or use the Your Texas Benefits mobile app to manage their benefits.

On August 7, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announced that \$1.1 billion in Quality Incentive Payment Program (QIPP) funds have been approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to support Texas nursing facilities that provide care for individuals receiving Medicaid. QIPP provides performance incentive Medicaid payments to nursing facilities that provide care for persons with Medicaid and rewards quality improvements in staffing, infection control, and other key long-term care quality indicators.

On August 7, Governor Abbott announced that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has established four temporary COVID-19 surge testing sites in Harris County. Two testing sites in Houston and Pasadena began operations August 6th, and two testing sites in Houston and Kingwood will begin operations on Monday, August 10th. Each location will be able to process 1,250 tests per day, or a total of 60,000 tests across the four sites. These testing sites have been established through a partnership with HHS Assistant Secretary for Health ADM Brett P. Giroir, MD, the State of Texas, Harris County, and the City of Houston.

For hours of operation and registration details, visit [www.doineedacovid19test.com](http://www.doineedacovid19test.com). Registration will be available on-site.

On August 6, Governor Abbott announced that the Houston Astros and the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) have teamed up to open a free COVID-19 testing site at Minute Maid Park in Houston. The testing site will be able to process 2,000 tests per day and will begin operations on Saturday, August 8. Testing will run from 8:00 AM through 4:00 PM seven days per week. The site will feature eight drive-thru testing lanes and four walk-up testing lanes. Spanish-speaking staff will be available on-site. No healthcare provider is required for test administration. To book an appointment and learn more, visit [Texas.curativeinc.com](https://texas.curativeinc.com).

On August 5, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announced that the federal government has further extended the deadline to apply for the CARES Act Provider Relief Fund. The deadline has now been extended to Aug. 28, 2020 for Medicaid and CHIP providers as the state responds to the COVID-19 pandemic. In addition, starting August 10, 2020, Medicare providers can apply for additional funding from the \$20 billion portion of the \$50 billion Phase 1 Medicare General Distribution. More information is available [here](#).

Provider Relief Funds may be used to cover lost revenue due to COVID-19 or health related expenses purchased to prevent, prepare for, and respond to the virus, including supplies and equipment to provide health care services for COVID-19 patients, workforce training, reporting test results to federal, state, or local governments, and acquiring additional resources, equipment, supplies, staffing and technology to expand and preserve care delivery. Up to \$15 billion from the CARES Act Provider Relief Fund is available to eligible providers that participate in state Medicaid and CHIP programs.

On August 4, Governor Abbott visited the McAllen Convention Center for the opening of the temporary health care facility which will help increase the Rio Grande Valley's hospital capacity during the COVID-19 pandemic. [As the Governor previously announced](#), the health care facility will have the capacity to treat a maximum of 250 patients, and will be equipped with hospital beds, medical equipment and medical staff. The health care facility opened Tuesday morning, and will begin taking up to 50 patients. The facility will increase patient intake and capacity as needed.

On August 4, Governor Abbott visited the Texas Division of Emergency Management's (TDEM) Warehouse in San Antonio where he provided an update on the state's distribution of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to Texas school districts for the 2020-2021 academic year. The Governor noted that the state will continue to purchase and distribute PPE to schools at no cost to the school districts.

On August 4, Governor Abbott announced that President Trump has extended federal funding for the Texas National Guard's mission to help combat COVID-19 in communities across the state. This extension of the Texas National Guard will be fully funded by the federal government through the end of 2020.

On July 31, Governor Abbott held virtual meetings with mayors, county judges, emergency managers, hospital executives, state legislators, and other local officials from the cities of Laredo and Eagle Pass to discuss ongoing efforts to slow the spread of COVID-19. Governor Abbott and community leaders discussed a variety of topics including hospital capacity, testing, and new strategies to mitigate COVID-19 in South Texas.

On July 30, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will provide approximately \$185 million in emergency Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) food benefits for the month of August as the state continues to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic. HHSC received federal approval from the U.S. Department of Agriculture to extend the maximum, allowable amount of SNAP benefits to recipients based on family size.

Texans in need can apply for benefits, including SNAP and Medicaid, at [YourTexasBenefits.com](https://YourTexasBenefits.com) or use the Your Texas Benefits mobile app to manage their benefits.

On July 30, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is extending flexibilities to Medicaid and CHIP recipients and providers through October 23, 2020, as the state continues to combat the COVID-19 pandemic. These flexibilities will minimize face-to-face interactions and ensure continuity of care for clients during the COVID-19 response.

On July 28, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is extending the application deadline for the [federal Pandemic-Electronic Benefit Transfer program](#) (P-EBT) to August 21 to ensure eligible families have more time to apply for this one-time food benefit.

On July 27, the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) announced that DSHS is now reporting COVID-19 fatality data based on death certificates. A fatality is counted as a COVID-19 fatality when the medical certifier attests on the death certificate that COVID-19 is a cause of death.

On July 24, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) urged eligible Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) providers to apply for federal COVID-19 relief funds before the August 3 deadline.

On July 24, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) has received federal authority to extend certifications by six months for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) recipients whose benefits are up for renewal in July and August.

On July 24, Governor Abbott and the Texas Military Department (TMD) announced Joint Task Force Texas, a newly formed partnership between the Texas National Guard and Active Duty and Reservists to strengthen COVID-19 response efforts in Texas. More than 1,200 service members have come together from the Texas National Guard and the active and reserve components of the U.S. Army, U.S. Navy and U.S. Air Force to support hospitals in Houston, San Antonio, Del Rio, and the Rio Grande Valley.

Texas Air National Guard Brig. Gen. Thomas Suelzer, appointed as the dual-status commander, serves as the commander of both Texas National Guard and federal service members.

On July 23, The Office Of The Governor and Guadalupe Zamora, MD, of Zamora Medical Center released a new English-Spanish language public service announcement (PSA) urging communities to work together to protect vulnerable Texans from COVID-19.

The new PSA is available on YouTube and can be downloaded at this link:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EHwbxiNMSNc&feature=youtu.be>

On July 22, Governor Abbott announced that the State of Texas will allocate an additional \$118 million in federal funding to support higher education in Texas, including \$93 million to help students continue or restart their progress toward earning a post-secondary credential or degree.

On July 21, Governor Abbott held virtual meetings with mayors, county judges, emergency managers, hospital executives, state legislators, and other local officials from Cameron and Hidalgo Counties to discuss the unified efforts to combat COVID-19 in these communities.

On July 19, Governor Abbott announced that the U.S. Department of Defense has sent five U.S. Navy teams to four locations in South and Southwest Texas to help combat the spread of COVID-19

On July 17, Governor Abbott, Lieutenant Governor Patrick, House Speaker Bonnen, Senate Finance Committee Chair Nelson, Vice Chair Hinojosa, and House Appropriations Committee Chair Capriglione and Vice Chair Longoria announced that the State of Texas will allocate \$200 million in Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act funding to the Texas Education Agency (TEA) for the purchase of eLearning devices and home internet solutions to enable remote learning during the COVID-19 pandemic for Texas students that lack connectivity.

On July 15, Governor Abbott announced that his Public Safety Office (PSO) will provide \$41 million in federal funds to assist cities and counties throughout the COVID-19 response.

On July 13, Governor Abbott announced that the U.S. Department of Defense has activated additional U.S. Army Urban Augmentation Medical Task Forces (UAMTF) to assist the state's efforts to combat COVID-19.

On July 12, Governor Abbott announced that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) has extended federal support of Community Based Testing Sites in Dallas and Houston through July 31, 2020.

On July 10, Governor Abbott extended the COVID-19 Disaster Proclamation to further mitigate the spread of the virus. He also announced that Omnicare, a CVS Health company, is partnering with the State of Texas to provide COVID-19 point-of-care testing for assisted living facilities and nursing homes throughout the state

On July 9, Governor Abbott issued a Proclamation suspending elective surgeries in hospitals in all counties located within 11 Trauma Service Areas (TSAs) in Texas.

On July 8, Governor Abbott announced that the State of Texas will invest \$57 million in federal funds to maintain the state's need-based financial aid programs and keep more students enrolled at their colleges and universities.

On July 4, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is distributing 448 cases of the antiviral drug Remdesivir to 157 hospitals across Texas.

On July 2, Governor Abbott issued an Executive Order requiring all Texans to wear a face covering over the nose and mouth in public spaces in counties with 20 or more positive COVID-19 cases, with few exceptions. The Governor also issued a proclamation giving mayors and county judges the ability to impose restrictions on some outdoor gatherings of over 10 people, and making it mandatory that, with certain exceptions, people cannot be in groups larger than ten and must maintain six feet of social distancing from others.

On July 2, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will provide approximately \$182 million in emergency Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) food benefits for the month of July.

On July 2, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announced that \$2.67 billion in federal funding has been approved to support Texas hospitals that provide care for people receiving Medicaid.

On June 30, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announced \$9 million in federal funding for nursing facilities to implement infection control.

On June 30, Governor Abbott issued a proclamation suspending elective surgeries at hospitals in Cameron, Hidalgo, Nueces, and Webb counties to help ensure hospital bed availability for COVID-19 patients in these communities. This proclamation amends the Governor's previous Executive Order to include these four counties in addition to Bexar, Dallas, Harris, and Travis counties.

On June 29, Governor Greg Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) extended the application deadline for the federal Pandemic-Electronic Benefit Transfer program (P-EBT) to July 31. It is a one-time benefit of \$285 per eligible child for those who lost access to free or reduced-price school meals due to school closures.

On June 26, Governor Abbott issued an executive order limiting certain businesses and services as part of the state's effort to contain the spread of COVID-19.

On June 26, Governor Abbott announced that the federal government has granted his request to extend operations of Community Based Testing Sites across Texas.

On June 25, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission enacted new emergency rules related to health and safety standards for child day care operations. These emergency rules include many of the guidelines from the Open Texas Child Care Checklist. Also, Governor Abbott announced that the State of Texas will pause any further phases to open Texas as the state responds to the recent increase in positive COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations.

On June 25, Governor Abbott issued an Executive Order to ensure hospital bed availability for COVID-19 patients as Texas faces an increase in COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations. The Governor's order suspends elective surgeries at hospitals in Bexar, Dallas, Harris, and Travis counties.

On June 24, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM), in partnership with the Texas Military Department (TMD), will begin distributing 3-ply



surgical masks to every Texan who undergoes COVID-19 testing at state-run mobile test collection sites.

On June 23, As COVID-19 cases rise in Texas, Governor Abbott has expanded the ability of mayors and county judges to impose restrictions on outdoor gatherings of over 100 people.

On June 22, Governor Abbot provided an update on Texas' continued response to COVID-19.

On June 16, Governor Abbott and Executive Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs of the University of Texas (UT) System John Zerwas, MD, provided an update on Texas' hospital capacity. The Governor noted that despite an uptick in positive cases, there continues to be abundant hospital capacity.

On June 11, Governor Abbott extended the Disaster Declaration for all counties in the State of Texas amid the COVID-19 pandemic.

On June 9, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is distributing additional cases of the antiviral drug Remdesivir to 85 hospitals across 34 counties in Texas.

On June 8, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) is coordinating with local officials, public health officials, and emergency management offices in cities across the state to identify and rapidly expand COVID-19 testing in underserved and minority communities that have been disproportionately impacted by the virus.

On June 4, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will provide approximately \$177 million in emergency Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) food benefits for the month of June in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

On June 3, Governor Abbott announced the third phase of the State of Texas' plan to safely open the economy while containing the spread of COVID-19. Under Phase III, effective immediately, all businesses in Texas will be able to operate at up to 50% capacity, with very limited exceptions.

On May 27, Governor Abbott and the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announced \$3.6 million in funding for nursing facilities to purchase tablets, webcams, and headphones to connect residents with their loved ones during the COVID-19 pandemic.

On May 21, Governor Greg Abbott directed HHSC to expand COVID-19 testing to all patients, residents, and staff at the 23 state-operated inpatient psychiatric hospitals and living centers throughout Texas.

On May 15, Governor Abbott and the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) announced that local fire departments in Texas are partnering with local public health authorities to provide testing in nursing homes throughout the state.

On May 14, Governor Abbott announced HHSC has received more than \$3 million in federal funding to provide shelter and services to survivors of family and domestic violence during the

COVID-19 pandemic. Governor Abbott also announced that the Texas National Guard has activated Facilities Disinfection Teams to support Texans in nursing homes and to help limit the spread of COVID-19.

On May 13, Governor Abbott waived license renewal late fees that accrued between March 13 and June 15, 2020 for occupational licenses issued by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR).

On May 12, Governor Abbott announced that HHSC has received approval from the U.S. Department of Agriculture to provide more than \$1 billion in food benefits through the federal Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-EBT) program to families with children who have temporarily lost access to free or discounted school meals due to COVID-19-related school closures.

On May 11, Governor Abbott directed HHSC, TDEM, and DSHS to test 100% of residents and staff in Texas nursing homes.

On May 8, Governor Abbott announced that TDEM has applied for Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Category B (Emergency Protective Measures) assistance funding to provide financial support to Texas' network of food banks.

On May 6, Governor Abbott announced that HHSC has received \$5.8 million in federal funding to provide crisis counseling services to Texans who have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

On April 30, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) has issued new guidance to unemployment claimants concerning their eligibility for unemployment benefits should they choose not to return to work at this time due to COVID-19.

On April 27, Governor Abbott announced the first phase of the State of Texas' ongoing plan to safely and strategically open Texas while minimizing the spread of COVID-19.

On April 24, Governor Abbott announced that TDEM and DSHS have launched an online COVID-19 test collection map to help Texans locate test collection sites within their community.

On April 24, Governor Abbott and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) announced that Texas will provide HOME Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA) to Texans experiencing housing challenges due to COVID-19.

On April 23, Governor Abbott announced that Texas A&M Service will provide a series of free online trainings to help local officials understand, acquire, and administer federal assistance available to the state of Texas and municipalities through the Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act and recently passed Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

On April 23, Governor Abbott announced that HHSC will receive nearly \$54 million in federal funds to support older Texans and people with disabilities during the COVID-19 response.

On April 22, Governor Abbott temporarily waived certain restrictions to allow Texas higher



education institutions to transfer all unexpended student financial aid funds from the Texas College Work-Study (TCWS) program to other financial aid programs that do not have a work-study requirement to ensure students will continue receiving financial assistance.

On April 20, Governor Abbott announced that the Texas National Guard will be mobilizing more than 1,200 personnel as part of COVID-19 mobile testing teams (MTT).

With reports of elevated scams and fraudulent activity preying on the public and consumers disguised as COVID-19 relief and assistance, local, state and federal response includes guidance, investigation, and prosecution. See links below:

- Federal Trade Commission: <https://www.ftc.gov/coronavirus>
- Federal Bureau of Investigation: <https://www.fbi.gov/coronavirus>
- Texas Attorney General: <https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov>
- US Attorney's Office: <https://www.justice.gov/usao-ndtx/report-covid-19-fraud>
- Federal Communications Commission: <https://www.fcc.gov/covid-scams>

On April 13, Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton filed a motion to intervene into a federal lawsuit seeking to stop the release of inmates from the Dallas County Jail, including killers, rapists, arsonists and armed robbers.

On April 9, Governor Abbott announced that HHSC has adopted an emergency rule to temporarily allow more nurse aides to serve residents in long-term care facilities during the COVID-19 response.

On April 8, Governor Abbott suspended certain statutes concerning appearance before a notary public to execute a self-proved will, a durable power of attorney, a medical power of attorney, a directive to physician, or an oath of an executor, administrator, or guardian.

On April 8, Governor Abbott announced that his Public Safety Office (PSO) will provide a one-time emergency waiver of the federally required cash or in-kind match contribution required for the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) and STOP Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) grant funds.

On April 8, Governor Abbott announced that Texas Health and Human Services (HHS) will provide more than \$168 million in emergency SNAP food benefits to help Texans during the COVID-19 response.

On April 6, Texas Health and Human Services announces Texas WIC, the special supplemental nutrition program for women, infants, and children, is expanding the number of food items eligible for purchase through the program.

On April 5, Governor Abbott temporarily waived certain regulations to expand the health care workforce to assist with Texas' COVID-19 response.

On April 3, Governor Abbott held a press conference to provide an update on Texas hospital capacity. Texas has increased by over 140% since March 18.

On April 1, Governor Abbott and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) took initial action to provide tenant-based rental assistance for Texans experiencing financial hardship due to COVID-19.

On March 31, Governor Abbott announced the Comfort Food Care Package (CFCP) program to provide meals for at-risk youth and families in communities across Texas as the state responds to COVID-19.

On March 30, Governor Abbott announced that the Center for Medicaid and Medicare Services (CMS) ([www.cms.gov](http://www.cms.gov)) has approved the Section 1135 Medicaid Waiver submitted by HHSC on March 26, 2020.

On March 28, Governor Abbott waived certain regulations allowing for an expedited licensing reactivation process for Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRN) in Texas. The Governor also waived certain licensing renewal regulations for Texas pharmacists, pharmacy technicians, and pharmacy technician trainees.

On March 27, Governor Abbott announced the deployment of three National Guard Joint Task Force Brigades. The 72nd Infantry Brigade Combat Team, the 56th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, and the 176th Engineer Brigade.

On March 27, Governor Abbott waived certain Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) regulations to preserve and extend child care capacity for front line workers.

On March 25, Governor Abbott released a statement thanking President Trump for issuing a Major Disaster Declaration (DR-4485) for the State of Texas.

On March 23, Governor Abbott sent a letter to President Trump requesting a presidential declaration of a major disaster in Texas based on the continued impact of COVID-19. Chief Nim Kidd has been designated the Governor's Authorized Representative and State Coordinating Officer, tasked with continuing his coordination with FEMA on all matters related to COVID-19. On March 20, the U.S. Food & Drug Administration (FDA) warned consumers about unauthorized fraudulent coronavirus tests. Governor Abbott also announced that the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) has included the entire state of Texas in its Economic Injury Disaster Declaration and granted access to its Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) program.

On March 19, the Commissioner of the Department of State Health Services, Dr. John Hellerstedt, issued a Public Health Disaster Declaration in Texas. Governor Abbott issued a proclamation suspending provisions of the Texas Election Code to allow political subdivisions to postpone their 2020 local elections. Governor Abbott and TEA announced a collaboration with Local Education Agencies (LEA) on the Texas Students Meal Finder Map which will allow Texas parents to locate LEA facilities serving meals in their communities.

On March 17, Governor Abbott waived certain regulations and directed that the Texas Department of Insurance (TDI) issue an emergency rule, relating to telemedicine care for patients with state-regulated insurance plans.

On March 14, Governor Abbott, directed the Texas Medical Board (TMB) and the Texas Board of Nursing (TBN) to fast-track the temporary licensing of out-of-state physicians, physician assistants, certain retired physicians, nurses, and other license types to assist in Texas' response to COVID-19.

On March 13, the President of the United States Donald Trump declared that the COVID-19 global pandemic is a national emergency. On the same day, Governor Abbott issued a proclamation certifying that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat in the state and declared a state of disaster for all 254 counties in Texas.

The Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) Commissioner Sid Miller announced TDA has been granted flexibility from the federal school meal program to allow Texas schools to continue to provide meals to students even if temporarily closed.

#### **Texas COVID-19 Cases, August 7, 2020**

| County of Residence | Cases  | County of Residence | Cases  | County of Residence | Cases | County of Residence | Cases  |
|---------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|---------------------|-------|---------------------|--------|
| Anderson            | 2,379  | Donley              | 48     | Karnes              | 562   | Real                | 87     |
| Andrews             | 279    | Duval               | 164    | Kaufman             | 2,125 | Red River           | 137    |
| Angelina            | 1,796  | Eastland            | 70     | Kendall             | 157   | Reeves              | 144    |
| Aransas             | 169    | Ector               | 2,407  | Kenedy              | 6     | Refugio             | 217    |
| Archer              | 21     | Edwards             | 25     | Kent                | 3     | Roberts             | 6      |
| Armstrong           | 8      | El Paso             | 15,908 | Kerr                | 396   | Robertson           | 231    |
| Atascosa            | 434    | Ellis               | 2,808  | Kimble              | 13    | Rockwall            | 875    |
| Austin              | 230    | Erath               | 520    | Kinney              | 19    | Runnels             | 121    |
| Bailey              | 170    | Falls               | 124    | Kleberg             | 424   | Rusk                | 366    |
| Bandera             | 89     | Fannin              | 242    | Knox                | 59    | Sabine              | 51     |
| Bastrop             | 1,350  | Fayette             | 308    | La Salle            | 362   | San Augustine       | 162    |
| Baylor              | 9      | Fisher              | 26     | Lamar               | 658   | San Jacinto         | 177    |
| Bee                 | 885    | Floyd               | 88     | Lamb                | 219   | San Patricio        | 905    |
| Bell                | 3,785  | Foard               | 2      | Lampasas            | 90    | San Saba            | 23     |
| Bexar               | 34,687 | Fort Bend           | 8,878  | Lavaca              | 620   | Schleicher          | 36     |
| Blanco              | 98     | Franklin            | 90     | Lee                 | 171   | Scurry              | 474    |
| Bosque              | 155    | Freestone           | 161    | Leon                | 141   | Shackelford         | 18     |
| Bowie               | 764    | Frio                | 505    | Liberty             | 962   | Shelby              | 398    |
| Brazoria            | 7,090  | Gaines              | 158    | Limestone           | 220   | Sherman             | 40     |
| Brazos              | 3,997  | Galveston           | 9,230  | Lipscomb            | 18    | Smith               | 2,470  |
| Brewster            | 188    | Garza               | 99     | Live Oak            | 222   | Somervell           | 73     |
| Briscoe             | 11     | Gillespie           | 175    | Llano               | 88    | Starr               | 2,117  |
| Brooks              | 99     | Glasscock           | 6      | Lubbock             | 5,959 | Stephens            | 34     |
| Brown               | 388    | Goliad              | 77     | Lynn                | 66    | Stonewall           | 5      |
| Burleson            | 240    | Gonzales            | 680    | Madison             | 658   | Sutton              | 61     |
| Burnet              | 551    | Gray                | 214    | Marion              | 130   | Swisher             | 80     |
| Caldwell            | 1,122  | Grayson             | 1,103  | Martin              | 55    | Tarrant             | 30,650 |
| Calhoun             | 529    | Gregg               | 1,379  | Mason               | 51    | Taylor              | 1,117  |
| Callahan            | 46     | Grimes              | 872    | Matagorda           | 733   | Terrell             | 2      |
| Cameron             | 15,865 | Guadalupe           | 1,673  | Maverick            | 2,321 | Terry               | 137    |
| Camp                | 229    | Hale                | 1,257  | McCulloch           | 46    | Throckmorton        | 4      |

| County of Residence | Cases  | County of Residence | Cases  | County of Residence | Cases  | County of Residence | Cases          |
|---------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|---------------------|----------------|
| Carson              | 15     | Hall                | 11     | McLennan            | 4,846  | Titus               | 1,196          |
| Cass                | 171    | Hamilton            | 80     | McMullen            | 9      | Tom Green           | 1,700          |
| Castro              | 197    | Hansford            | 69     | Medina              | 762    | Travis              | 22,256         |
| Chambers            | 942    | Hardeman            | 17     | Menard              | 17     | Trinity             | 156            |
| Cherokee            | 953    | Hardin              | 947    | Midland             | 2,570  | Tyler               | 116            |
| Childress           | 40     | Harris              | 81,919 | Milam               | 333    | Upshur              | 212            |
| Clay                | 40     | Harrison            | 681    | Mills               | 19     | Upton               | 16             |
| Cochran             | 31     | Hartley             | 84     | Mitchell            | 59     | Uvalde              | 526            |
| Coke                | 42     | Haskell             | 42     | Montague            | 67     | Val Verde           | 1,332          |
| Coleman             | 19     | Hays                | 4,989  | Montgomery          | 6,510  | Van Zandt           | 375            |
| Collin              | 7,074  | Hemphill            | 42     | Moore               | 1,047  | Victoria            | 3,436          |
| Collingsworth       | 11     | Henderson           | 633    | Morris              | 105    | Walker              | 2,874          |
| Colorado            | 272    | Hidalgo             | 19,103 | Motley              | 5      | Waller              | 441            |
| Comal               | 1,775  | Hill                | 318    | Nacogdoches         | 1,133  | Ward                | 89             |
| Comanche            | 141    | Hockley             | 200    | Navarro             | 841    | Washington          | 499            |
| Concho              | 28     | Hood                | 522    | Newton              | 93     | Webb                | 7,417          |
| Cooke               | 223    | Hopkins             | 200    | Nolan               | 133    | Wharton             | 690            |
| Coryell             | 660    | Houston             | 312    | Nueces              | 10,755 | Wheeler             | 33             |
| Cottle              | 16     | Howard              | 168    | Ochiltree           | 94     | Wichita             | 983            |
| Crane               | 70     | Hudspeth            | 23     | Oldham              | 14     | Wilbarger           | 64             |
| Crockett            | 155    | Hunt                | 1,137  | Orange              | 1,369  | Willacy             | 682            |
| Crosby              | 59     | Hutchinson          | 123    | Palo Pinto          | 256    | Williamson          | 6,058          |
| Culberson           | 17     | Irion               | 9      | Panola              | 285    | Wilson              | 434            |
| Dallam              | 187    | Jack                | 56     | Parker              | 1,201  | Winkler             | 80             |
| Dallas              | 52,869 | Jackson             | 400    | Parmer              | 335    | Wise                | 390            |
| Dawson              | 143    | Jasper              | 304    | Pecos               | 242    | Wood                | 316            |
| DeWitt              | 643    | Jeff Davis          | 8      | Polk                | 748    | Yoakum              | 100            |
| Deaf Smith          | 657    | Jefferson           | 5,828  | Potter              | 3,644  | Young               | 160            |
| Delta               | 16     | Jim Hogg            | 62     | Presidio            | 46     | Zapata              | 170            |
| Denton              | 7,374  | Jim Wells           | 705    | Rains               | 51     | Zavala              | 205            |
| Dickens             | 4      | Johnson             | 1,810  | Randall             | 1,714  | <b>Total</b>        | <b>474,524</b> |
| Dimmit              | 146    | Jones               | 629    | Reagan              | 62     |                     |                |

DSHS will update the state case count each day by 4:00 PM Central Time.

#### OPERATIONAL PRIORITIES:

1. Protect life and property.
2. Protect vulnerable populations.
3. Support rapid & effective response.
4. Collect and disseminate accurate incident information to improve decision-making.
5. Accurately track incident costs associated with assigned resources for cost recovery.
6. Expand and maximize bed capacity.

7. Develop alternative care sites to support local governments and the health care systems.
8. Acquire supplies/equipment to support health care and testing.
9. Ensure visibility on progression of the disease.
10. Support local governments.

### **Region 1 (Includes DDCs 4, 5, 6, and 22)**

**DDC 4A – Hurst** (Includes Denton, Erath, Hood, Johnson, Palo Pinto, Parker, Somervell, Tarrant and Wise Counties)

#### **Tarrant County:**

**City of Fort Worth:** Fort Worth Fire Department has opened a COVID-19 testing center available to front line health care workers including physicians, nurses, medical assistants and other health professionals. Call the Infections Disease Coordinator at the Joint Emergency Operations Center (EOC) at the City of Fort Worth at 817-714-9709. This number is answered from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM daily.

**DDC 6 – Tyler** (Includes Anderson, Camp, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Marion, Panola, Rains, Rusk, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt and Wood Counties)

2-1-1 is open to the public 24/7 to answer questions about COVID-19 symptoms, and related resources are online at <http://www.211.org/services/covid19>. There are two additional ways to connect: people can text “211Help” to 484848, or visit [www.211texas.org](http://www.211texas.org) to web chat with a Community Resource Specialist. This is a local United Way initiative.

#### **Smith County:**

**City of Tyler:** The City’s phased re-open plan for services and facilities is active. A complete list of open/closed services is on the City website: <https://www.cityoftyler.org/>.

### **Region 2 (Includes DDCs 13, 14, 15, 16 Houston, 16 Texas City, 16 Conroe, and DDC Pierce)**

**DDC 15 – Beaumont** (Includes Hardin, Jefferson and Orange Counties)

The Southeast Texas Regional Emergency Operations Center launched a website summarizing and consolidating all information related to COVID-19 activities in Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Newton, Orange, and Tyler counties. <https://covid-19-jeffco.hub.arcgis.com/>

**DDC 16 – Houston** (Includes Chambers and Harris Counties)

#### **Harris County:**

**City of Houston:** Houstonians should visit [HoustonEmergency.org/covid19](https://HoustonEmergency.org/covid19) for the latest local information about COVID-19 and ways to protect their family and community.

### **RESPONDING STATE AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS REPORTS**

**Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas A&M University System (TDEM):** The State of Texas State Operations Center remains at Readiness Level II Escalated Response

Conditions, with Daily Operations staff processing disaster declarations, letters to the Governor, Disaster Summary Outlines, State of Texas Assistance Requests (STARs), as well as severe weather messages, preparing Snapshots and the state SITREP. The State Management Team (SMT) continues conducting operations in the State Operations Center, working together with activated members of the State's Emergency Management Council. TDEM District Coordinators are working closely with their local emergency management partners and various members of the public health community to assist with unmet needs and resources.

**Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service (AgriLife):** Texas A&M AgriLife Extension is leading an education effort to help with understanding the CARES Act. AgriLife Extension will serve as an information conduit to ensure everyone who is eligible understands how to apply for federal relief funding. This educational initiative will focus on the following areas of relief: Treasury, Small Business, Homeland Security, Justice/Police, HUD, HHS, Health, Labor/Arts, Education, Agriculture, Food Programs, and Rural Development. The first training is available at AgriLife Learn (<https://agrilifelearn.tamu.edu/product?catalog=TAEX-001>).

The agency deployed 13 Disaster Assessment and Recovery (DAR) Agents and 8 Central Leadership Team members as Incident Support Teams to support TEEX at the 8 RAC armories across Texas. Two DAR agents are stationed at Weslaco and Midland to assist with PPE distribution for MTT's and Nursing Home Testing. Eight disaster strike teams of Extension Agents have been activated to assist at the Panhandle, Coastal Bend, Border, CATRAC, SETRAC, STRAC, Pineywoods and NCTTRAC RAC's to assist TDEM with medical supply delivery. Teams are collaborating with TEEX and the military to support distribution.

The STAR for the six Nueces County Agents originally dedicated, will be extended through October 31. Another action has been submitted to provide six additional County agents from surrounding counties to assist with Contact Tracing through October 31.

Pony Express Team members made the following deliveries/retrievals yesterday:

- 602 bundles or pallets prepared at Armories
- 4 PPE deliveries to Skilled Nursing Facilities & Medical offices
- 4 Deliveries of equipment
- 4 Pick-ups or deliveries of test specimen kits
- 7 Deliveries of tests to MTT or QRF sites
- 2 Pallets moved from Armory to RAC or HPP

Two DAR agents received specimens at armories/airports from three QRF collection sites after closing and transferred them to airports or reefer trucks to be taken to Austin for distribution to laboratories. Curative samples were delivered to Fed Ex by testing teams. Nine DAR agents are coordinating with test sites to ensure deliveries of kits to the Courier.

**Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service (TEEX):** TEEX continues to coordinate operations from the SOC and the 8 IST Resource Staging Areas (RSA) throughout Texas in 10 distribution locations. TEEX currently has 55 personnel deployed to support ongoing response activities throughout the state.

Current support includes:

- One person at the Remote State Operations Center (RSOC) in Austin to serve as a liaison TDEM SOC Operation Section and coordinate TEEX activities at RSAs (Armories)



- Safety Officer to work on Safety Issues.
- Two personnel of TEEX senior leadership to augment State Operations Center and allow rotation time for TDEM senior leadership.
- Eight ISTs are ranging from 3 to 8 staff per location based on current workloads.

**Texas A&M Forest Service (TFS):** TFS currently has 25 personnel committed to COVID-19 response and is providing planning, logistical support and other functional areas as needed to the Texas Division of Emergency Management, Texas Department of State Health Services and local entities. Response activities include Situation Reports, STAR Processing, logistical support for shipping and receiving medical supplies, and incident management support.

**Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC):** The TAHC is activated to support the state response to the outbreak of COVID-19. While official guidance maintains that animals are of very low risk for contraction or transmission of COVID-19, the TAHC is working closely with animal response partners to manage consistent public information messaging for how to deal with animals in the context of potential COVID-19 exposure. TAHC has activated virtually to the SOC, is holding conference calls with ESF-11 partners and stakeholders as needed, and is coordinating with DSHS for companion animal testing support. TAHC is receiving phone calls related to case consideration for testing animals for COVID-19: eight animals have been approved for testing to date, with one canine positive result on July 8, 2020.

**Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ):** TCEQ has created a link specific for COVID-19 on our public webpage.

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/response/covid-19/tceq-preparedness-responsibilities-covid-19>

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ):**

- 12 Strike Teams consisting of 84 TDCJ staff from multiple divisions.

**TDCJ Strike Team Testing Status:**

|               | Tests Completed |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Staff         | 46,947          |
| Offenders     | 170,975         |
| <b>Totals</b> | <b>217,922</b>  |

**Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR):**

- TDLR continues to update their website's COVID-19 page (<https://www.tdlr.texas.gov/covid19.htm>) with the latest developments affecting their licensees and the public.
- TDLR has extended their agency's current work from home initiative through October 1, 2020. TDLR's executive team and division directors continue to monitor the situation.
- TDLR is suspending the Instructor teaching and continuing education requirements for Offender Education Provider Instructors license renewals. License renewals for OEP Instructors who meet all other requirements will be approved. This suspension is in effect until terminated by our Executive Director.

**Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS):** DPS Texas Highway Patrol (THP) is currently providing:

- DPS CCG Command Trailer has been made available to TDEM Daily Operations for off-site COOP.

- One THP Liaison is assigned to the SOC
- One Sergeant, three Troopers are assigned to assist with the COVID-19 testing site in Dallas.
- Eight THP Troopers assigned to assist with the COVID-19 testing sites in Harris County.
- One DPS HSOC GIS Specialist assigned to assist with GIS efforts in support of COVID-19.
- DPS Troopers continue providing security to the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) location in Dallas.
- THP continues to have a liaison at the State Operations Center currently assisting with "Pony Express" Rural COVID-19 Testing Sites by coordinating ground transportation of the collected samples for THP/CID to transport to the designated labs for processing.

**Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS):** DSHS is supporting Alternate Care Site operations across the state. DSHS is training volunteers online and is also working with Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) to deploy volunteers to needed areas.

#### Regional Activities:

- Regional EPI Emergency Response Teams have been conducting daily monitoring of PUM/PUI within the region in collaboration with LHDs.
- Mobile test sites have opened throughout the regions and are operating one day testing by appointment only. Status of mobile test sites can be viewed [here](#).
- All RHMOCs are at full activation.
- All eight HPP Providers have activated Medical Operations Centers and are distributing PPE to healthcare entities in the region.

#### State Medical Operations Center (SMOC) Activities:

- A total of 1,415 LTC facilities have been tested by Rapid Assessment (RA) teams in response to the Governor's orders to test all nursing home staff and residents.
- DSHS has provided support to the Rio Grande Valley which includes Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr and Willacy counties with 2,091 medical staff deployed to 13 hospitals, and also sent out 300 oxygen tanks, 160 IV pumps, 74 vents, 89 O2 concentrators, and 20,465 test kits to the region.
- DSHS is also leading efforts to support regions with alternate care sites throughout Texas.

#### DSHS Call Center Activities:

[The Call Center has received 23,742 calls and 20,097 emails to date.](#) The Call Center will operate Monday-Friday from 8:00AM -6:00PM and Saturday-Sunday from 8:00AM -5:00PM.

**Texas Education Agency (TEA):** To view TEA support and guidance for school districts regarding COVID-19 please visit <https://tea.texas.gov/texas-schools/safe-and-healthy-schools/coronavirus-covid-19-support-and-guidance>.

**Texas Emergency Medical Task Force (TX-EMTF):** TX-EMTF currently has all eight EMTF Regions activated in support of the COVID-19 Response and continues to support the statewide testing initiative.

[August 7, TX-EMTF conducted 41 missions which included:](#)

- 38 MTT Sites
- 3 QRF Missions

EMTF currently has 28 Medical Incident Support Team (MIST) members activated supporting Mobile Test Collection Teams, Rapid Assessment – QRFs, TX EMTF State Coordinating Office (SCO) SOC LNO, and CBRAC with patient transfers, staffing assessments and tracking.

**Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC):** HHSC temporarily suspended non-essential visits to State Hospitals and State Supported Living Centers.

**Texas Military Department (TMD):** TMD currently has 1,766 personnel in support of the COVID-19 Response. One TMD General Support Unit is operating in support of a testing site in Kingsville. Eight TMD GSUs are staging in Dallas, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Lubbock, Austin, Houston, El Paso, Weslaco, and Tyler to implement the TDEM distribution plan to the RACs and have distributed 7,645 pallets. TMD is assisting TDEM with warehouse distribution of PPE. TMD is supporting the State Operations Center. TMD has supported Community Based Test site operations, testing a total of 395,271 people, in El Paso, Tarrant, Van Zandt, Orange, Nacogdoches, Falfurrias, Laredo, Weslaco, Edinburg, Austin, Port Lavaca and Del Valle. TMD is supporting DDC21 with mortuary affairs. TMD has disinfected a total 6,773,375 square feet. POTUS approved extension of Texas National Guard COVID-19 response through 31 December 2020 at 100% federal cost share.

**Texas Wing Civil Air Patrol (CAP):** TDEM has approved CAP to conduct transport flights of critical materials to locations across Texas.

**Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD):** TPWD is monitoring the COVID-19 situation closely and making agency adjustments based on the DSHS and CDC guidelines to ensure the health and safety of employees, volunteers, and the public visiting TPWD facilities. TPWD LE has assigned personnel to the Caldwell County EOC as a PIO. TPWD continues to have personnel assigned to the SOC to serve as liaison officers. TPWD is working with the City of Weslaco in order use State Parks as temporary lodging space for local first responders during their off duty time.

**Texas Public Utilities Commission (PUC):** PUC has created a link specific for COVID-19 on our public webpage. <http://www.puc.texas.gov/covid-19/>

#### **Texas Workforce Commission (TWC):**

Unemployment Insurance:

- Call centers are open 7 days a week 7:00 AM-7:00 PM.
- TWC Website, Information for COVID-19 [Frequently Asked Questions](#).
- Expanded the number of people doing pin and password resets with most of external relations working on them.
- TWC has expanded call center hours: 7:00 AM -7:00 PM and 7 days a week.

**U.S. Army North (ARNORTH):** JTF-TX priority of support continues to be the southeast border area, followed by San Antonio and Houston. [There are 4,969 civilian contract providers working alongside our 680 Title 10 medical personnel across the State to relieve hospitals.](#)

#### Mission Information and Details

JTF-TX is supporting the following medical treatment facilities (MTF):

- **San Antonio –**

- University Hospital (active)
- Baptist Medical Center (active)
- Methodist-Metropolitan (active)
- Christus Santa Rosa Medical Center (active)
- Christus Westover Hills Medical Center (active)
- **Houston** - United Memorial Medical Center (active)
- **McAllen** - McAllen Memorial Medical Center (active)
- **Victoria** - De Tar Hospital (Active)
- **Corpus Christi** – Christus Spohn Hospital (active)
- **Harlingen** –
  - Valley Baptist Medical Center (active)
  - Harlingen Medical Center (active)
- **Del Rio** - Val Verde Medical Center (active)
- **Eagle Pass** - Fort Duncan Regional Medical Center (active)
- **Rio Grande City** - Starr County Hospital (active)
- **Edinburg** – DHR Health (active)

**US Department of Health & Human Services/ASPR (US DHHS):** Three DMAT Teams were rostered in support of RRF 2651-361143 requesting 7 DMATS to support Texas. Teams deployed to McAllen and Laredo supporting regional advisory councils have completed their missions. PA-4 DMAT working in Del Rio, Eagle Pass, Rio Grande City to augment hospital operations.

#### STATE RESOURCES COMMITTED

| Agency          | Resource Kind and Type                       | Personnel | Equipment | Status    | Location                        |
|-----------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Specialists/Admin                            | 22        |           | Activated | College Station                 |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | SOC Liaison                                  | 1         |           | Assigned  | SOC/Austin                      |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | DAR Extension Agents                         | 13        | 13        | Assigned  | Statewide                       |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Strike Teams                                 | 100       |           | Assigned  | Statewide                       |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Incident Support Teams                       | 16        | 16        | Assigned  | Regional Advisory Council Areas |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 15        | 15        | Assigned  | Border                          |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 10        | 10        | Assigned  | Panhandle                       |
| AgriLife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned  | Coastal Bend                    |

| Agency          | Resource Kind and Type                       | Personnel | Equipment | Status   | Location                          |
|-----------------|--|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------------|
| Agrilife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned | CATRAC                            |
| Agrilife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned | NCTTRAC                           |
| Agrilife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned | SETRAC                            |
| Agrilife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned | STRAC                             |
| Agrilife, TAMUS | Extension Agent Strike Team for PPE delivery | 11        | 11        | Assigned | Piney Woods                       |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | SOC Liaisons                                 | 1         |           | Assigned | Remote SOC/Austin                 |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Safety Officer                               | 1         |           | Assigned | Remote SOC/Austin                 |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 8         |           | Assigned | El Paso/Midland                   |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Dallas                            |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 6         |           | Assigned | Austin                            |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 10        |           | Assigned | Corpus Christi/Weslaco            |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 2         |           | Assigned | Lubbock                           |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Tyler                             |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 6         |           | Assigned | Houston                           |
| TEEX, TAMUS     | Incident Support Team (IST)                  | 14        |           | Assigned | San Antonio                       |
| TFS A&M         | ESB/ESF 4 Representative                     | 1         |           | Assigned | SOC/ Austin                       |
| TFS A&M         | EOC Support                                  | 3         |           | Assigned | College Station                   |
| TFS A&M         | All-Hazards Planning Module                  | 2         |           | Assigned | DDC 4B/TDEM Region 1              |
| TFS A&M         | Planning Support                             | 1         |           | Assigned | Val Verde Regional Medical Center |
| TFS A&M         | Public Information Officer                   | 1         |           | Assigned | Bastrop OEM                       |

| Agency       | Resource Kind and Type                  | Personnel | Equipment | Status   | Location                                       |
|--------------|---|-----------|-----------|----------|--|
| TFS A&M      | Logistical Support                      | 5         |           | Assigned | San Antonio                                    |
| TFS A&M      | Logistical Support                      | 4         | 4         | Assigned | Grand Prairie                                  |
| TFS A&M      | Logistical Support                      | 8         | 8         | Assigned | Fort Worth                                     |
| DPS-THP      | Liaison                                 | 1         |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin                                     |
| DPS-THP      | Personnel                               | 4         | 4         | Assigned | Dallas County                                  |
| DPS-THP      | HSOC GIS Specialist                     | 1         | 1         | Assigned | SOC/Austin                                     |
| DPS THP      | Troopers                                |           |           | Assigned | Statewide                                      |
| DPS CID      | Special Agents                          |           |           | Assigned | Statewide                                      |
| DPS COMMS    | Command Trailer                         |           | 1         | Assigned | Austin   |
| DPS Aviation | Aviation                                |           |           | Assigned | Statewide                                      |
| DSHS         | Strike Force Leader                     | 1         |           | Assigned | Hidalgo County                                 |
| DSHS         | MIST                                    | 2         |           | Assigned | Hidalgo County                                 |
| DSHS         | Ambulance Staging Team                  | 5         |           | Assigned | Pharr, Hidalgo County                          |
| DSHS         | MIST                                    | 5         |           | Assigned | San Antonio Mobile Collection Team Call Center |
| DSHS         | MIST MTTs & RA-QRF                      | 21        |           | Assigned | All EMTF Regions                               |
| DSHS         | Angel Med Surge Staffing                | 622       |           | Assigned | Statewide                                      |
| DSHS         | Maxim Med Surge Staffing                | 552       |           | Assigned | Statewide                                      |
| DSHS         | BCFS Med Surge Staffing                 | 3,882     |           | Assigned | Statewide (HPPs/ Hospitals)                    |
| DSHS         | Case Investigators                      | 15        |           | Assigned | PHR 1 Lubbock and Amarillo                     |
| DSHS         | Epidemiologists                         | 156       |           | Assigned | PHRs Statewide                                 |
| DSHS         | Data Entry Specialists                  | 40        |           | Assigned | PHRs Statewide                                 |
| DSHS         | State Coordinating Office (SCO)         | 4         |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin                                     |
| DSHS         | Fatality Management Trailer (FMT) - HPP |           | 17        | Assigned | HPP  |



| Agency | Resource Kind and Type                   | Personnel | Equipment | Status   | Location  |
|--------|--|-----------|-----------|----------|---|
| DSHS   | Fatality Management Trailer (FMT) - DSHS |           | 4         | Assigned | Hidalgo, Webb, Bexar, Starr Counties  |
| DSHS   | FMT - FEMA                               |           | 13        | Assigned | Bexar, Cameron, Dallas, El Paso, Harris, Hidalgo, Lubbock, Montgomery, Nueces, Randall, Smith, Starr, Travis Counties |
| DSHS   | SMOC Staff                               | 77        |           | Assigned | Telework  |
| HHSC   | SOC Liaison                              | 4         |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin  |
| PUC    | SOC Liaison                              | 1         |           | Assigned | Remote  |
| TAHC   | SOC Liaison                              | 1         |           | Assigned | Virtual   |
| TAHC   | AROCC Operations                         | 6         |           | Assigned | Virtual   |
| TDA    | SOC Liaison                              | 1         |           | Assigned | Remote  |
| TDCJ   | Testing Strike Teams (12STs)             | 84        |           | Assigned | Statewide   |
| TDLR   | SOC Liaison                              | 1         |           | Assigned | Remote  |
| TEA    | SOC Liaison                              | 2         |           | Assigned | Remote  |
| TMD    | SOC Military Desk                        | 3         |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin  |
| TMD    | SOC Food Unit                            | 2         |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin  |
| TMD    | SOC Logs Vettors                         | 15        |           | Assigned | SOC/Austin  |
| TMD    | GSU 08                                   | 4         |           | Assigned | Kingsville  |
| TMD    | BJTF Mission CMD                         | 5         |           | Assigned | Fort Worth  |
| TMD    | BJTF Mission CMD                         | 5         |           | Assigned | Houston   |
| TMD    | BJTF Mission CMD                         | 19        |           | Assigned | Austin  |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 32        |           | Assigned | Lubbock   |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 32        |           | Assigned | Dallas  |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 32        |           | Assigned | El Paso   |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 34        |           | Assigned | Austin  |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 22        |           | Assigned | Corpus Christi  |
| TMD    | General Support Unit                     | 32        |           | Assigned | Tyler   |

| Agency | Resource Kind and Type           | Personnel | Equipment | Status    | Location                    |
|--------|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| TMD    | General Support Unit             | 34        |           | Assigned  | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | General Support Unit             | 16        |           | Assigned  | Houston                     |
| TMD    | GSU for BDE Support              | 10        |           | Assigned  | Killeen/San Antonio         |
| TMD    | Military District Coordinator    | 1         |           | Assigned  | Weslaco                     |
| TMD    | EMCC Staff Aug                   | 6         |           | Assigned  | Arlington                   |
| TMD    | ABS MRP                          | 4         |           | Assigned  | Austin                      |
| TMD    | TDEM Warehouse Support           | 2         |           | Assigned  | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | SOC Theater Support              | 3         |           | Assigned  | Austin                      |
| TMD    | GSU                              | 30        |           | Assigned  | Weslaco                     |
| TMD    | CBTS Test                        | 35        |           | Assigned  | Butler Stadium - Houston    |
| TMD    | CBTS Test                        | 41        |           | Assigned  | Delmar - Houston            |
| TMD    | TDEM Commodities                 | 86        |           | Assigned  | San Antonio/ Killeen        |
| TMD    | CBRAC Logs                       | 4         |           | Assigned  | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | TMD Medical Testing MRP          | 580       |           | Assigned  | Statewide                   |
| TMD    | TMD Inspection Team              | 8         |           | Assigned  | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | Disinfection Team                | 52        |           | Assigned  | Statewide                   |
| TMD    | GSU's for JTF & MTCC             | 24        |           | Assigned  | Austin, Houston & Ft. Worth |
| TMD    | 8 GSU's for Disinfection Teams   | 212       |           | Assigned  | Statewide                   |
| TMD    | GSU Assist w/ Fatalities Staging | 30        |           | Assigned  | Weslaco                     |
| TMD    | DMORT Team                       | 10        |           | Assigned  | Hidalgo & Cameron Counties  |
| TMD    | Morgue Unit Lead                 | 1         |           | Assigned  | Del Rio                     |
| TMD    | HST #1                           | 18        |           | Activated | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | HST #2                           | 23        |           | Activated | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | HST #3                           | 14        |           | Activated | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | HST #4                           | 24        |           | Activated | San Antonio                 |
| TMD    | Med Shelter (#3)                 | 10        |           | Assigned  | Weslaco, Brownsville        |
| TMD    | Amb. Team                        | 11        |           | Assigned  | Edinburg                    |
| TMD    | MTS #1                           | 16        |           | Assigned  | Austin                      |

| Agency  | Resource Kind and Type   | Personnel | Equipment | Status   | Location   |
|---------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--|
| TMD     | MTS #2                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Tarrant  |
| TMD     | MTS #3                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Van Zandt  |
| TMD     | MTS #4                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Laredo   |
| TMD     | MTS #5                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Edinburg   |
| TMD     | MTS #6                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Falfurrias   |
| TMD     | MTS #7                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Houston  |
| TMD     | MTS #8                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Sherman  |
| TMD     | MTS #9                   | 16        |           | Assigned | Port Lavaca  |
| TMD     | MTS #10                  | 16        |           | Assigned | El Paso  |
| TMD     | MTS #11                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Lubbock  |
| TMD     | MTS #12                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Del Valle  |
| TMD     | MTS #13                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Orange   |
| TMD     | MTS #14                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Marfa  |
| TMD     | MTS #15                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Nacogdoches  |
| TMD     | MTS #16                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Camp Wood  |
| TMD     | MTS #17                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Texas City   |
| TMD     | MTS #18                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Weslaco  |
| TMD     | MTS #19                  | 16        |           | Assigned | Tarrant  |
| TMD     | Logistics Support        | 6         |           | Assigned | Corpus Christi   |
| TPWD    | SOC Liaison              | 2         | 2         | Assigned | Austin   |
| TPWD    | TPWD Aviation            |           |           | Assigned | Statewide  |
| ARNORTH | 627 <sup>th</sup> UAMTF  | 88        |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | 551 <sup>st</sup> MEDLOG | 3         |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | UAMTF MEDCOM             | 87        |           | Assigned | Houston  |
| ARNORTH | 16 <sup>th</sup> UAMTF   | 86        |           | Assigned | McAllen  |
| ARNORTH | UAMTF 7454-1A            | 41        |           | Assigned | Victoria   |
| ARNORTH | UAMTF 7454-1B            | 49        |           | Assigned | Corpus Christi   |
| ARNORTH | UAMTF 7452-1             | 87        |           | Assigned | Edinburg   |
| ARNORTH | UAMTF 7458-1A            | 85        |           | Assigned | Harlingen,<br>Harlingen Med.<br>Center & Valley<br>Baptist |
| ARNORTH | EMF-L / ACT              | 44        |           | Assigned | Harlingen  |
| ARNORTH | RRRT #1                  | 7         |           | Assigned | Del Rio  |
| ARNORTH | RRRT #2                  | 7         |           | Assigned | Eagle Pass   |
| ARNORTH | RRRT #3&4                | 16        |           | Assigned | Rio Grande City  |
| ARNORTH | COSC C2                  | 2         |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | COSC #1                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Del Rio  |
| ARNORTH | COSC #2                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Rio Grande City  |
| ARNORTH | COSC #3                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Harlingen  |
| ARNORTH | COSC #4                  | 3         |           | Assigned | Eagle Pass   |
| ARNORTH | HST #1                   | 18        |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | HST #2                   | 23        |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | HST #3                   | 14        |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |
| ARNORTH | HST #4                   | 24        |           | Assigned | San Antonio  |

| Agency  | Resource Kind and Type         | Personnel | Equipment | Status   | Location                        |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|---------------------------------|
| ARNORTH | Med Shelter #3                 | 10        |           | Assigned | Weslaco / Brownsville           |
| ARNORTH | Amb. Team                      | 11        |           | Assigned | Edinburg                        |
| ARNORTH | Logistics Support Team         | 6         |           | Assigned | Corpus Christi, Spohn Shoreline |
| US DHHS | DMAT San Antonio               | 36        |           | Assigned | Del Rio/Eagle Pass/Starr County |
| US DHHS | DMAT Laredo/PHS RN Strike Team | 10        |           | Assigned | Laredo                          |
| US DHHS | Plasma Division                | 4         |           | Assigned | San Antonio                     |

**FINAL COMMENTS:** The State Operations Center (SOC) remains at Level II (Escalated Response Conditions). The Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) continues to monitor the situation and will provide additional situation reports as needed.

**The four levels of SOC activation are:**

Level I (Emergency Conditions)  
Level II (Escalated Response Conditions)  
Level III (Increased Readiness Conditions)  
Level IV (Normal Conditions)

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